

hundred dollars for each offense, and upon failure to pay the same, together with the costs of prosecution, shall be committed to jail and confined therein until such fine and costs are paid, or for the period of forty days, whichever shall first occur.

116E. Any person who shall sell spirituous or fermented liquors or lager beer or who shall keep or conduct the business of a hotel, inn or boarding house, whether the same shall be a building exclusively for that purpose or in a dwelling house, shall pay a license of twenty-five dollars per year, or a proportionate amount for periods less than a year; all such licenses shall be paid to the clerk or bailiff appointed in accordance with the provisions of this Act for municipal purposes, and shall run in all cases from the time of the beginning of said business to the first of May ensuing. The license herein imposed shall be in addition to any other license that may be imposed by the Public General Laws of this State or the Public Local Laws relating to Charles County; but it is not the intent hereof that any person keeping a hotel and selling any of the aforesaid liquors shall pay the license herein provided for for more than one of such kind of business. Any person who shall violate the provisions of this section shall upon conviction pay a fine of not less than fifty nor more than two hundred dollars for each offence, and upon failure to pay the same, together with the costs of prosecution, shall be committed to jail and confined therein until such fine and costs are paid, or for a period of forty days, whichever shall first occur. No prosecutions before justices of the peace for violation of any of the sections of this Act or the Article of which this Act is amendatory, or of any of the ordinances passed in pursuance thereof, shall fail or any of the proceedings therein be invalid, because of any defect or error in matter of form, and the same shall be amendable to such extent as may be necessary for the purpose of carrying out the intent of the provisions of this Act.

116F. Whenever the said commissioners shall decide that it is expedient that any road, street, lane or alley, as aforesaid, within said corporate limits, shall be opened, widened and straightened, changed or closed, or make subways, as provided in Section 102, unless they shall be able to make satisfactory contracts necessary for the same, or unless the necessary lands or easements in or over the same shall be donated for the purposes, they shall appoint three disinterested persons, residents of the town, to assess all damages done, suffered and incurred by the opening, widening, straightening, changing or closing of any such highways, streets, lanes or alleys, or the construction of any such subways, and any benefits or advantages accruing